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**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARKS OFFICE**In re Application of:  
Choy et al.

) Examiner: Nasri, J.

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) Group Art Unit: 2839

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For: **SYSTEM FOR  
ARRANGEMENT A PAIR OF  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the phone conversations with the Examiner on May 22 & 23, 2000, for the above-identified application, please kindly amend the subject application and consider the remarks as follows.

In The Specification:*A*